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HOUSE COMMITTEE WILL OVERHAUL ALL THE NAVY YARDS

presentative Rixey Reports a GOVERNMENT SHOP IS Duplication of Shops and Officers, Due to Department Bureau System.

ONE NEW ENGLAND YARD LIKELY TO BE ABOLISHED

Committee on Naval Affairs Will Begin "Non-Partisan Campaign" to Change Present Methods at Coming Session of Congress.

Representative John F. Rixey, of Virginia, a member of the House Committee on Naval Affairs, passed through Washington yesterday on his way home from the tour of inspection with the other members of the Naval Committee. In discussing the trip and the condition of the navy yards visited, Mr. Rixey

"The chief result of our observations is that the committee, or rather those members that were on the tour of inspection, came unanimously to the conclusion that the organization and management of the navy yards needs a thorough overhauling.

'The bureau system has resulted in the duplication of buildings and a duplication of officers at nearly all the yards. Officers and Yards Duplicated.

there are three power plants, three blacksmith shops, three foundry plants, etc., where there is necessity for only one at each yard. Often there are more

"Another thing that struck us is the uselessness of having a yard at Boston and another at Fortsmouth, N. H., fifty miles away. It is more than probable one of these yards be abolished.

Cites Figures for Past Year.

John W. Yerkes, Commissioner of In- positions. ternal Revenue, has prepared a preliminary report of his office for the fiscal year ended June 30, in which he ing to \$41,127,607.68.

objects of taxation were as follows: 856.08; oleomargarine, \$736,783.31.

Tabulated by States, Illinois led, with on "open." \$50,562,455.25; Indiana second, with \$28,-183,610.08; New York third, with \$26,-115,626.21, and Ohio fifth, with \$20,979,

EUROPEAN SQUADRON TO REMAIN AT LISBON

King's Entertainment Delayed on Account of Pope's Death.

date of its departure has not been de-

which has been deferred on account of ported by the Civil Service Commission. the death of the Pope, and it is not known just when the mourning for the Pontiff will come to an end. The vessels which are at Lisbon are the Brookly Chicago, San Francisco, and Machias.

MILWAUKEE AGAIN WANTS DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION

next Democratic national convention will be held in this city if the efforts of Mayor Rose are of any avail. H already commenced a vigorous can with the members of the Demo national committee who supported waukee last time, when Kansas won the prize, and has, he says, able to get additional pledges from members who voted for Kansas

OPEN TO ALL PRINTERS

Non-Union Men Can Work for Uncle Sam.

WIDE SCOPE OF ULTIMATUM

President's Order a Blow to Union Labor, Regardless of Further Action in Miller Case.

President Barrett, of the local bookbinders' union, admitted yesterday that the reinstatement of W. A. Miller as assistant foreman in the Government Printing Office had the effect of declaring that office an "open shop," in which anyone certified as having the proper qualifications might work, whether he belonged to a union or not. This admission was the most important development of the day, excepting Miller's formal return to work, and is, in fact, the real key to the situation.

It matters not if Miller is discharged been heard and Miller's answer has been considered. The question of the power of the labor unions in the Government Printing Office has been settled by Miller's reinstatement. From "For instance, in some of the yards this time forward the power, long held streets of Dublin for men and women by the unions will be diminished, if not entirely destroyed.

Unions Losing Power.

Already the effects of the President's prompt action in the case are being feit. It is known that there is considerable dissatisfaction in the union ranks, and a prominent member of the bookbinders' union admitted frankly to a Times reporter yesterday that the union is "up

A Non-Partisan Campaign.

"We intend to inaugurate a nonpartisan campaign at the coming seasion of Congress and make a strong
effort to overhaul the whole system of
management of the yards as it exists
at present, for we believe we can sive
the Government a great deal of money
by a change in the present methods."

This talk is particularly prevalent
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It is difficult to estimate the moral effect that has been produced upon the union leaders by President Roosevelt's Commissioner of Internal Revenue request to Secretary Cortelyou that he type machines, which, if introduced in-to the Printing Office, will be the means of depriving 3,000 men of their

Blame Public Printer.

says that the receipts from all sources the Public Printer for writing the let- the President and his home at Sagaof internal revenue during the year ag- ter in which he said Miller was dis- more Hill were thrown into a state of approximately \$4,697,000. The decrease union. If publicity had not been given an attempt was to be made upon the in collections, as compared with the to the case all this trouble would have life of the Chief Magistrate. previous year, accounted for by the re- been averted and the backbone of their peal of the war revenue taxes, amount- power would not have been broken. As carried no details corroborating the The total receipts from the principal they knew what had happened, and it make the anxiety any the less, and all Spirits, \$131,953,472.39; tobacco, \$43,- days to realize that whatever the out- watched the entrances of the village 514.810.24; fermented liquors, \$47,547, come of the Miller case, the Govern- with painful vigilance. ment Printing Office is from this time

be said as to the intentions of the union. stepped off the Long Island trains was 749,648.18; Kentucky fourth, with \$21,- The union has assured Mr. Palmer that immediately spotted, and if he were not it will not strike for the present, but known, was made to give an account makes no absolute promise as to the fu- of himself. The panic resulted in nothture, and, indeed, no such promise can ing beyond annoyance to the detectives be given until action is taken by the ex- and their suspects, for no bombs were ecutive council. When all the members hurled at the big Queen Anne house on of that body arrive in Washinton they the knoll, and no villainous strangers will consider the case, and if the decision is in favor of Miller it is "up to"

If the union men continue to work they will be breaking the union law not On account of the death of Pope Leo only by working with a non-union man, the European squadron of the United but one who has been expelled from the States Navy will remain at Lisbon, Por- union. They will also be working in an tugal, for at least a week longer than "open shop." It will be incumbent upon was originally planned, and the exact the executive council to do one of two things-either reconcile their laws to the present situation or back down in the The King of Portugal announced an face of the President's ultimatum, in the entertainment for the American officers issuance of which Mr. Roosevelt is sup-

MUTINOUS CONVICTS SHOT DOWN BY GUARDS

CHATTANOCGA, Tenn., July 25 .-Three convicts were shot and one was probably fatally wounded in a mutiny at the mines of the Georgia Coal and Iron MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 25. - The Company at Cole City, Ga., yesterday.

There were 125 convicts involved in hany of them life prisoners e characters, and at first the guards. The latter shot anks. The State warden aed the scene this morning. risoners barricaded in a to surrender. The ringe severely punished.

MONEY TO THE POOR

Leaves Dublin For North Holds Russia's Pledge to of Ireland.

Hopes of the English Government. May Buy Residence.

DUBLIN, July 25 .- King Edward, before leaving for the north of Ireland this morning, gave £1,000 to the poor of Dublin. The King, in his farewell address to the people of Dublin, said: "May the inhabitants of this illustrious city look forward under God's States to open certain Manchurian ports. providence to blessings commensurate This formal pledge is carefully filed Pontifical Ornaments Placed Beside Fortune Swept Away in Wall Street. warmness of their hearts."

Enthusiastically Received.

Much was expected of the visit of King Edward and Queen Alexandra to cause of a strong desire to placate the Ireland, and it was thought that the United States and prevent an alliance people of Erin would give the royal with Japan in the event of war between couple a hearty welcome, but the en- that country and Russia. All the efforts thusiasm which has been evinced by all of Russian diplomacy have been exertclasses has far more than exceeded the most sanguine expectations of the government.

Up to the present there has not been single discord in the harmonious welcome, and not a disagreeable incident. The levees have been unqualified success, vying with those held in London again by Mr. Palmer, after the charges both as regards the magnificence of the preferred against him by the union have affairs, and the costumes worn by the women attending. The great surprise, however, has been the affection for the King and Queen displayed by the lower It was a common occurrence classes. as the King's carriage drove through the to kneel in loyal homage and call for blessings upon the King and his consort.

> May Purchase Residence. In connection with the King's visit the 'Irish Times" says that it is authoritatively reported that the King is contemplating the purchase of Rockingham house, Boyle county, Roscommon, for a royal residence. Boyle is a small town three miles from Rockingham house. The

SECRETARY HAY'S DISTRICT LAUNDRY WORK SMILE JUSTIFIED

Open Manchurian Ports.

Enthusiasm Has Eclipsed Fondest State Department Listened to Pekin Dispatches With Satisfied Composure.

> The satisfied composure with which State Department officials ridicule reports from Pekin that China will not open ports in Manchuria is well founded. The fact has just developed that Russia gave a written pledge to the United away in the archives of the State Department. The written assurance is posttive and comprehensive.

Russia gave this solemn pledge be ed to so adjust matters with this Government that no assistance shall be given Japan when the Oriental crisis is reached.

Aid for Japan.

The support of Great Britain is to be given Japan only in case more than one power engages her in war at the same time. If the United States can be placed in a neutral position, Great Britain cannot join forces with Japan should war break out. This is the Russian view. At the same time it can be said there has never been the slightest possibility that the United State would actively

ernment would be one of absolute neu-Russian foreign office leaders did not understand this, and desired to take no chances. Hence the United States was placated by written assurances that Manchurian ports will be opened.

support Japan. The attitude of this Gov-

CASSIUS M. CLAY'S BODY BURIED IN RICHMOND

WITHOUT COMPETITION HEARTY WELCOME TO ERIN INFORMATION WAS WITHHELD POPE'S BODY INTERRED KEENE REFUSES AID IN ST. PETER'S CHAPEL TO TAYLOR & CO.

Last Burial Takes Place a Will Lose \$1,500,000 By Year From Date.

FINAL ABSOLUTION GIVEN DENTIST COMMITS SUICIDE

Leo's Remains in Casket-Monks Chant "Miserere."

ROME, July 25 .- The body of Pope Leo XIII was interred tonight in its tempoof the assets or liabilities of Talbot J rary resting place in the niche over the Taylor & Co., or Stow & Co., was availdoor to the left of the Chapel of the able up to 2 o'clock this afternoon. The Sacrament in St. Peter's.

The ceremony began at 7 o'clock (Rome liabilities of Taylor & Co. will run into time), the cardinals and Vatican prelates the millions, probably six or seven. conducting the services. It was first intended to send out only 700 invitations, but at the last moment they were in-

creased to 4,000. The body was raised on a bier and carried upon the shoulders of the men today that he was sure he would be who had so often borne the Pontiff in able to resume business shortly, paying his lifetime, and was carried into the dollar for dollar. Chapel of St. Peter's, the remains not being placed in the coffin until the chapel was reached.

The procession was led by the monks sultation with his son-in-law, Talbot J. of St. Peter's, all chanting the "Miserere," and passed before the chapel of St. Peter's, finally ending at the choir from talks with him it did not seem that chapel. There the chant was changed to "In Paradisum," drops of holy water were sprinkled over the coffin and the final absolution was pronounced.

In the coffin was placed the Pontifical ornaments, including all the medals the Pope had received in the course of his reign, and a scroll telling of the prin-

he was now practically penniless, Dr. Louis Shaw, a dentist, of 162 Remsen Street, Brooklyn, today shot and istantly killed himself. He had speculated heavily and his losses will exceed \$150,-

Sage Has Vertigo. Russell Sage, who has been in poor health for some months was seized with morning, and was obliged to call for as-

LET OUT AT BIG PRICES

Son-in-Law's Failure.

Russell Sage Has Attack

of Vertigo.

NEW YORK, July 25 .- No statement

Accountants are hard at work on the

books of both firms, but it is not thought

that statements can be ready before

Monday. W. L. Stow told his customers

Keene Down Town

James R. Keene was at the office of

Taylor & Co. before 10 o'clock, in con-

Taylor. Mr. Keene admitted that he

will lose \$1,500,000 by the failure, but

he cared to advance additional money to

Caught in the crash in Wall Street

which had swept everything away, and

facing the fact that instead of the hand-

some fortune he had a few weeks ago

pull the firm out of the financial mire.

When he recovered he refused the rerest. He said he deemed it his duty, in the face of the "rich man's panic," to were awarded in open competition, it remain at his husiness

POLICE RECAPTURE

Alarmed by Rumors That Attempt Would Be Made On Life of President-All beth's When Caught.

Sergeant Anderson, of the Anacostia OYSTER BAY, N. Y., July 25.—The were seized redhanded with revolvers ington to consult with the President O'Keefe, thirty-five years old, as a full laundry learned of this monopoly and partment. After his conference Mr. lum. O'Keefe is an ex-soldier, who was the proposition that if the work was The President spent a busy day, among Bristow said that he had nothing to brought back from the Philippines, inmake public, but that progress was sane. He is harmless, and is frequently of the whole crooked business. At any paroled.

Last night he escaped from the asylum sight," he remarked, "but every step, of without the knowledge of the authoricourse, brings us nearer to it. I am ties. He was walking through Anacosnot going to take my vacation until tia, inquiring the way to the city, when Sergeant Anderson met him.

Something in the appearance of the man caused him to think he was insane. He arrested him, and then coramunicated with the asylum. Search revealed O'Keefe's absence, and he was favoritism. The matter will stand insent for.

CRIMINALS AND PAUPERS AMONG IMMIGRANTS

Census of Prisons and Asylums to Be Undertaken.

Commissioner General of Immigration Sargent has just begun a thorough examination of all the prisons asylums. and charitable institutions in the United States to determine accurately the nuraber of aliens who have become criminals lett and White to Face Accusers a or public charges. In each instance mitted having been awarded a contract the time of arrival in this country will be coted, with other data of a statistical nature.

Commissioner Sargent is satisfied that a large number of aliens, within a comparatively brief period after their arrival, are either confined as criminals or supported by public charity. The figures ment of the grand jury without finding obtained by the inquiries will be embodthe gunboats Mayflower, Dolphin, Ches- of the Hargis brothers. The whole af- also be reports submitted from agents Pecria, the colliers Hannibal, Lebanen, second trial of Jett and White for the at the scaport cities, all indicating the Marcellus, Leonidas and Brutus, the je- murder of J. B. Marcum begins at Cyn- necessity for more drastic laws to prevent the influx of undesirable foreigners. and Fire Department work was awarded,

RICHMOND BANKER MISSING.

Bollin, senior member of the firm of dozen hundries which will do it for less. Wyndam Bollin & Brother, bankers and I would be glad to get the job at 80 cents brokers of this city, has mysteriously per hundred." and a receiver was named

Competitors Charge That a Monopoly Exists in the Job of Washing for Fire and Police Departments.

Four Dollars a Dozen Paid for Labor for Which Another Concern Receives Twenty-eight and a Half Cents.

Complainant Charges That One Shop Secured Share of Work by Threatening to Expose the Alleged

The following letter was received by the District Commissioneds Tuesday,

"Will you please inform us why it is that the washing of towels for the Fire Department and the washing for the Police Department, are not let out by contract? Why should one person enjoy a monogoly of this work, as has been for years? The District is paying more out for its work than any private firm or corporation for like work. If this work is let out by contract, like all the other Government work, you all the other Government work, you will see how this particular work has been worked. Very respectfully, "HARVARD LAUNDRY CO.,

"T. Hill Marshall, Manager,"

Manager Marshall's Statement. In explanation of the foregoing letter Mr. Marshall made the following statement last night:

ber of years in the towel and laundry work of the police and fire departments The work has never been open for bids and competition has not been allowed. The Tolman Laundry has had the inside track and obtains a much larger price an attack of vertigo in his office this for its work then would be asked by other lanudries.

"I understand that that company gets \$4 per bundred for towels in small quanquest of his friends that he go home and titles, and never less than \$1 per hundred in large quantities. If that work would be done for less than 50 cents.

"This same laundry, for other work of the same class, charges hotels and restaurants 50 cents per hundred. The ESCAPED LUNATIC District government is losing at least 00 per cent on this work, and as it as Absent Man Not Missed at St. Eliza- gregates something like \$3,000 per year, the excess is considerable.

Procured Share by Threats.

"I have good authority for the statesubstation, last night arrested Daniel ment that some time ago the Star not divided, an exposure would be made rate the Star laundry was given a goodly portion of the District work, and the exposure was never made.

"I might add that a short time ago, in open competition, the Gem-Laundry was awarded the same class of work for the Postoffice Department for 281/2 cents per 100. The Government is not only being defrauded, but the laundries of the city are being shut out of competition by

Not Public's Concern.

The manager of the Tolman Laundry was faced with this statement, but told the reporter for The Times that the company's business was not any affair of the public. The president of the company James

P. Tolman, was more communicative, and said that he did some work for the District, and that the rates charged were \$4 and \$1 per hundred for towels. Nothing could be ascertained, however, as to the reason for the apparent monopoly

enjoyed by the Tolman company The manager of the Gem Laundry was next interviewed, and immediately adfor the same class of work for 281/2 cents per hundred. He explained that this figure could not be taken as a basis for figuring, because he was los-

ing money on the contract. Wanted the Contract.

"I bid that figure," he said, "because I wanted the contract. It costs about 35 cents to do the work, so you see I am not getting rich. I have, however, a contract for more of the same class of work, for which I get 87% cents per hundred. This was obtained in competitive bidding, and I consider that it is an easy money-making figure.
"I have often wondered how the Police

and have never been given an opportunity to bid on the work. If it is done RICHMOND, Va., July 25.-Wyndam for \$1 per hundred now, I know a half

trict work.

gregated \$230,740,382.57, for the collection the Printing Office betion of which the Government expended cause he had been expelled from the informed by wire from New York that Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow, Assistant Secretary of State Loomis, and William Williams, Commis-

SECRET SERVICE MEN AT OYSTER BAY

The fact that the New York alarm it is, the blow was struck almost before story of intended assassination did not has taken the majority of them some through the afternoon and tonight they

Every incoming farmer with his load of produce, every oyster man, floating Until the case is settled nothing can in with the tide, every passenger that

the executive council to handle a knotty TEXAS TO SUPPORT REGULAR NOMINEE

Senator Bailey Says There Is Nothing New in State Politics.

in Washington yesterday attending to catur, Barry, Chauncey, Dale and Bain-business before the departments. He bridge; the gunboat Vixen, the colliers business before the departments. He was at the Riggs House, but did not reg-

When asked about the political situation in Texas, he said there was practically nothing new. The State would support the numinee, who must be a man who can reunite the party The Senator laughingly said he knew nothing about the efforts of his friends

to make him the next chairman of the

BOGUS LORD'S WIFE

Democratic national committee

OBTAINS A DECREE Monongahela. KANSAS CITY, July 25 .- Mrs. Wilhelmina Grace Barrington has been with murder.

Some of the union men are blaming squad of Secret Service men guarding loaded and knives whetted for the Chief about the frauds in the Postoffice De- gitive from St. Elizabeth's Insane Asy- went to the Tolman management with

Entrances Are Strictly Guarded--Geneva Conference Discussed.

IN ECSTASY OF NERVOUS EXCITEMENT

sioner of Immigration of New York. Mr. Bristow came direct from Wash-

MANEUVERS ENGAGE FORTY-FOUR VESSELS

the Scene of Action.

the search problem and combined maneuvers off the coast of Maine. Twenty of these have already reached Frenchman's Bay and are preparing for the maneuvers. The six battleships which are to participate-the Massachusetts Illinois, Indiana, Texas, Kearsarge and Alabama-are among those on the scene

The protected cruiser Olympia and the unprotected cruisers Yankee, Pan-Senator Joseph Bailey, of Texas, was ther and Hartford; the destroyers, De-Caesar and Sterling, the tugs Iwana and Nezinscot, and the sailing ship Alliance are also reported to be at Frenchman's

> strovers Truxtun, Worden, Whiptie, Lawrence and Stewart, the tugs Nona and Potomac, and the sailing vessel

MISS DASKAM MARRRIED.

rapidly being made.

"The end cannot be said yet to be in everything is wound up."

Secretary Moody left Oyster Bay in the afternoon for New York on board one of the Government tugs.

Secretary Loomis came to consult with the President about the work of the Geneva conference. One of the matters that will be brought up by the American representatives will be the advocacy Twenty of These Are Already On dead on the field of battle. The Red of a universal means of identifying the Cross Society will also present a memorial of some sort protesting against the indiscriminate use of the organiza-Forty-four vessels are to take part in tion's emblem on proprietary articles.

KENTUCKY FEUD TRIAL TO BEGIN TOMORROW

Second Time. LEXINGTON, Ky., July 25 .- Most of the newspaper correspondents left Jack-

son and came here tonight. The sol-

diers, however are still there. The town is quiet after the adjourn-Other wasels which are to join the indictments for the James Cockrill as- ied in a comprehensive report to Confleet are the protected cruiser Balti- sassination. Foreman Balley says in- gress, which will be made the basis for more, the unprotected cruiser Prairie, dictments were prevented through fear future restrictive legislation. There will apeake, Newport, Scorpion, Topeka and fair appears to have been a flasco. The of the immigration service abroad and

GUARDS HURT IN COLLISION.

thiana tomorrow.

WCRCESTER, July 24.-Nearly forty of the Emmet Guards of Worcester, returning from annual camp duty at South STAMFORD, Conn., July 25 .- Josephine Framingham in a trolley car yesterday isoners barricaded in a granted a divorce from "Lord" Freder- by persuasive tactics he ick Seymour Barrington, who is now ess, was married at noon today to Selden collision at Northboro. It is not thought be badly involved. He was this after- could not be seen last evening, in reunder indictment at St. Louis, charged Bacon, a prominent lawyer of New York any of the injuries will be fatal. Most noon adjudged an involuntary bankrupt gard to the alleged "divvy" on the Dis-